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	First Named Inventor	Chao-Cheng Lee
	Art Unit	2819
	Examiner Name	NGUYEN, LINH V
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
		Small Entity Fee (\$)		Small Entity Fee (\$)		Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180
Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)
- 20 or HP =	x	=
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.		
Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)
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First Named Inventor	Chao-Cheng Lee
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Examiner Name	NGUYEN, LINH V
Attorney Docket Number	REAP0003USA

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Document Number	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		Number-Kind Code ² (if known)			
	1	US- 5,084,667	01-28-1992	Drori, et al.	all
	2	US- 5,867,057	02-02-1999	Hsu, et al.	all
	3	US- 6,686,789 B2	02-03-2004	Lopata, et al.	all
	4	US- 6,747,475 B2	06-08-2004	Yuffe, et al.	all
	5	US- 4,158,786	06-19-1979	Hirasawa	all
	6	US- 6,429,723 B1	08-06-2002	Hastings	all
	7	US- 5,949,279	09-07-1999	Kwan	all
	8	US- 5,453,334	10-03-1995	Motegi, et al.	all
	9	US- 6,549,075 B1	04-15-2003	Zhang	
	10	US- 5,523,721	06-04-1996	Segawa, et al.	
	11	US- 6,147,520	11-14-2000	Kothandaraman, et al.	
	12	US- 5,739,720	04-14-1998	Lee	
	13	US- 5,119,097	06-02-1992	Ohkura et al.	
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	14	JP 4-906	01-06-1992	NEC CORP		✓
	15	JP 5-347520	12-27-1993	TOSHIBA CORP		✓

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Applicants: Chao-Cheng Lee, Chia-Jun Chang.

Appl. No.: 10/707,803 Filing Date: 01/13/2004

Examiner: NGUYEN, LINH V Art Unit: 2819

Docket No.: REAP0003USA Confirmation No.: 1802

Title: AMPLIFYING CIRCUIT

To: Commissioner for Patents
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Subject: Information disclosure statement under 37
CFR §1.56

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This is an Information Disclosure Statement in accordance with the duty to disclose information material to patentability under 37 CFR §1.56. The applicant wishes to make of record the document(s) listed on the accompanying form PTO/SB/08.

Since this IDS is filed after the mailing date of notice of allowance but before payment of the issue fee, consideration of the information disclosure statement is hereby requested according to 37 CFR §1.97(d). And some of the references cited hereinafter are more than three months from the filing of this information disclosure statement. Accordingly, the fee of submission of an information disclosure statement set forth in §1.17(p) is enclosed to

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fulfill \$1.97 requirement.

The cited US patent application No. 5,523,721, 6,147,520, 6,549,075 B1, and Japan patent application No. JP 4-906 and JP 5-347520 contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in an Office communication mailed on June 17, 2005 for the counterpart US patent application number 10/605,327, which are more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement.

The cited US patent application No. 4,158,786, 5,084,667, 5,455,534, 5,867,057, 5,949,279, 6,429,723 B1, 6,686,789 B2, 6,747,475 B2 contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in an Office communication mailed on July 13, 2005 for the US continuing application number 10/907,032, which are more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement.

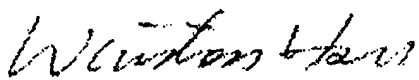
The cited US patent application No. 5,739,720 and the cited document entitled "Switched Capacitor Circuits." contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in an Office communication mailed on March 08, 2006 for the counterpart German patent application number 10 2004 017 497.0, which are no more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement.

The cited US patent application No. 5,119,097 contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in an Office communication mailed on April 11, 2006 for the US continuing application number 10/907,032, which are no more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement.

According to the requirement set forth in 37 CFR 1.98(a)(3) and MPEP 609.04(a) III, an English language abstract of the cited Japanese reference is included herewith to fulfill the concise explanation requirement.

It is respectfully requested that the examiner can consider the document(s) listed on the accompanying form PTO/SB/08 and that it be made of record in the application. The applicants sincerely hope that the examiner initials the cited reference(s) on the form and that a copy of the initialed form be sent to the applicants with the next communication from the examiner.

Respectfully submitted,



Date: April 25, 2006

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